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FOR : PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITION COMPRISING
CRYSTALLINE SIBUTRAMINE METHANESULFONATE
HEMIHYDRATE

EXAMINER : to be assigned GROUP: to be assigned

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination, it is respectfully requested that claims 3 and 7-15 in
the present application be amended, and new claims 16 to 25 be added as outlined below: